# GALVESTON'S LIST OF DEAD IS APPALLING

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# THE SITUATION IS NOW IMPROVING

SUPPLIES AND MONEY POUR-ING IN FROM ALL OVER THE COUNTRY.

Exodus From the City Has Been Checked and People are Now Turning Their Attention to a New Galveston.

GALVESTON, Texas, Sept. 18 .-"The situation continues to improve," is what one is told now when he applies at any of the various headquarters for information. This statement is being made with gratifying monotony all over the city. The work has been brought down to a business basis as far as possible and the system and order displayed in the various departments would surprise any one who might return to Galveston after an absence of truee or four days.

One feature that has caused a better feeling and a more pronounced willingness to work is afforded by the fact that the "time" of all the laborers employed is being kept at headquarters. The men being assured of compensation for their labor, naturally go about their unpleasant tasks with much becter grace than heretofore. A thorough health says more trained nurses are investigation reveals the fact that every department is as well organized as possible under the circumstances

Supplies and money are now pouring in from all over the country. it is Galveston, it is now stated at healstated that at least seven figures are needed to express the amount of cash thus far received. This is being used Others have gone on into the interior judiciously, and the effects of the pres- of the state or to other states. ence of such a large relief are already apparent.

### Enormous Death List.

The death list will reach the total of 4.437 with the additions sent out today. Only a comparatively small number of the negroes who perished have been reported. After considering all these facts one can hardly do anything else but conclude that the total to be finally reached will be above 6,060. Judge Mann stated today that in his opinion the list would go as high as 7,000. The exact number, of course, will never be

There are no developments which would lead to the belief that the estimate of a property loss of \$22,500,000 is too high. While one occasionally finds a business man whose property has not suffered greatly, it must be stated that the class is hopelessly in the minority and that large losses are that he was the murderer of someone

The people are becoming more cheerful every day and it is more than remarkable to observe the composure exhibited by some of them under the terrible circumstances. The individual's woe has been lost in the commuaity's grief, and on every hand may bo seen people who have lost their all doing everything in their power to comfort a neighbor who perhaps has not been so unfortunate. Everybody seems to be doing all they can toward ultimate rehabilitation and the determination to build a city which will be bigger and broader in every way than A VICIOUS CHINESE the one which has been destroyed appears to be general.

The people are still leaving the city in considerable numbers, but the relief work locally has now been gotten down to such a fine point that it is likely that there will be a marked diminution of the exodus during the next two or three days. The fears of an epidemic have been allayed by the cines and disinfectants and therefore a succor elsewhere has been eliminated from the situation.

## BODIES BEING CREMATED AS RAPIDLY AS POSSIBLE

NEW YORK, Sept. 17 .- A special to the Sun from Galveston says: This is the ninth day after the storm and still the work of recovering the dead from the mass of ruins that lines the south side of what remains of the city is going on. Yesterday 107 bodies were recovered and cremated. Among them was a mother with her babe tightly clasped to her breast. The body of ter which finally aroused that gentle-Major W. T. Levy, United States immigrant inspector of this district, was erant Chinaman, who, assisted by his among the number found. He made a gallant struggle to save his wife and three childrens, by all were lost. The three childrens, by all were lost. The Mr. Wolter had by this time a firm booknes of the wit and children have hold on the horse's bridle. He soon

not been recovered. The number of bodies recovered and cremated today will exceed 100. The task of recovering bodies that are beneath or were tammed into he imneath or were jammed into he immense rick of debris extending rom the eastern to the wastern to t the eastern to the western limit of the city, a distance of more than three miles, is a herculean one, and the most expeditious way of recovering then from a sanitary point of view is by the fire. This in the crippled condition of the fire department and the week of the fire department and works would endanger the remaining is, and intends to make it exceedingly part of the city. As it now stands this man when he has him immense pile of debris is strewn with landed.

About this time it was discovered that some action is contemplated. The Sandpiper which that the allotment of terms of service any coal but are running the maching the delta has properly good ciue as to who the tellow ers say the workings are not mining the maching that the allotment of terms of service any coal but are running the maching that the allotment of terms of service any coal but are running the maching the delta has properly for them the suit that the allotment of terms of service any coal but are running the maching the delta has properly for them the suit that the allotment of terms of service any coal but are running the maching the delta has properly for them the suit that the allotment of terms of service any coal but are running the maching the delta has properly for them the suit that the allotment of terms of service any coal but are running the maching the delta has properly for them the suit that the allotment of terms of service and the service and

bodies. The presence of the carcasses of animals is another serious menace to health and their disposition is the most difficult problem the board of health has to deal with. The work of opening up streets and disinfecting them is being vigorously prosecuted. The debris and garbage are being re-More Than Six Thou- moved in 250 vehicles of every description and carried out to a safe place and there burned. In a few days all the streets will be opened for the passage of vehicles.

> The work of supplying relief for the sick and injured is well in hand and, under the direction of physicians and nurses, is improving daily. Eleven the board of health. All except 309 retained for hospital purposes will be distributed by the chairmen of the various ward sub-committee to sheiter the homeless in the wards. The marine hospital service, which is working in conjunction with the board of health, has established a hospital on the beach at the foot of Tremont street, where sick and wounded now sheltered in unsanitary places throughout the city will be taken for treatment. The hospital physicians will be assisted by a corps of trained nurses. The hospital will consist of 300 comfortable tents and will be thoroughly

quipped in every respect. Governor Sayers expresses faith in the future of Galveston and says he city will be rebuilt. He wants the people of Galveston at once to turn their attention to the rehabilitation of their property and leave to the governor, General Scurry and the state authoriof the important work of sanitation and will leave the citizens free to restore their homes and their places of

Miss Clara Barton is giving her time and attention to assisting in the work of relief and ascertaining what supplies are necessary to meet the exigencies of the situation. The board of

Relief supplies are arriving more regularly and are being distributed to and that all are working harmoniously. the destitute as rapidly as possible. The number of people who have left

quarters, is over 8,000. Of these about 5,000 are in Houston being cared for.

# CRAZY OR A MURDERER

Soon after the transport Thomas was was sent to the vessel to get a stowaway who was found on board a day or two after the vessel left San Francisco.

On the way down the man whose name is James Hughes, acted rather a little crazy. He was unfit for work, MINE WORKERS' LEADERS and his actions becoming very erratic he was placed under a guard so that he would do no harm to himself or others aboard.

During his confinement the man raved a great deal and was apparently out of his head. He seemed to think who was killed a couple of weeks before the steamer left San Francisco and told the surgeon of the Thomas that he was the murderer. The crime referred to by the man was fresh in he mind of the surgeon, and thinking that there might be something in the raving of the man he notified the police and had the man locked up pending investigation when the ship got here.

He is at the police station now and will be examined today, and if the sheriff deems it wise he will hold the man until the authorities in San Francisco are communicated with.

# ASSAULTS A LANDLORD

Because Lum Sing, manager of the Occidental restaurant, refused to serve a meal to an unknown Chinaman yesterday, Edward Wolter, the landlord, was assaulted by the celestial in search of a meal, and he has now taken steps presence and the distribution of medi- to bring his assailant to justice. The Chinaman, it seems, appeared some feature which would undoubtedly have had the effect of causing many to seek having enjoyed a meal and sadly demolished all edibles brought before him, coldly walked out of the place without paying for the same. His visit yesterday caused a feeling of fear and apprehension in the heart of the restau-rant manager, and he communicated his suspicions to Mr. Wolter, who went down to the dining room and ordered

the Chinaman out of the place. He finally complied, but with not the best grace pos ible, and on passing out made some remarks to the landlord that are not generally found in the that are not generally found in columns of a family newspaper. In fact during the time he was leaving the building until he reached the carriage in which he came, he passed out several bunches of lurid profanity to Mr. Wolman's ire and he started for the belligdriver, also a Chinaman, endeavored to get away as rapidly as possible. This was a difficult matter to accomplish, as lost his balance, however, because of the struggles of the horse, and the was followed as soon as possible, they were lost track of, and the landlord of

One Hundred Over Thousand Miners Quit Work.

## THERE IS TALK OF ABBITRATION hundred tents were received today by BUT OPERATORS DECLARE THEY WON'T TREAT WITH

Hungarian Women Nearly Cause Trouble in the Hazelton District -But few Collieries Work-

ing in Pennsylvania.

STRIKE LEADERS.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 18 .- If, as President Mitchell of the United Mine Workers claimed last night, 112,000 of the 141,000 mine workers in the Pennsylvania anthracite coal fields were idle yesterday, it is certain that this number has been considerably aug-... nted today. Reports from the four g districts embracing the hard coal region are to the effect that fewer men ties the work of sanitation. In other are at work today than were working words, the state will relieve Galveston | yesterday and that collieries that worked full handed or nearly so yesterday are either badly crippled ir shut down today.

the weather has grown much colder than yesterday and this change is greeted with enthusiasm by the work-.s, who argue that the increase in demand for coal will hasten the adjust + have resulted in favor of the \* Coelho. ment of the difficulties between them | + black party throughout this en- + \* and their employers. Talk of arbitra- + tire province and the whites + \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* tion is so persistent that the hope + now openly declare themselves + grows that this method of settling the + to be annexationists. Ten thoustrike will finally be adopted, although + sand colored men who had + the mine owners declare they will deal + worked themselves up almost to + only with their employes as individuals + a frenzy, and wearing badges + and the strike leaders say they will in
a frenzy, and wearing badges

Third senatorial district, at the district, at the district is not the policy of the renounced that the Duke and Duchess of sist upon formal recognition of the + bones, signifying death to the + union. This difference would appear + republican party, paraded + sufficient to keep employer and em- + through the principal streets of + carrying off the senstorial ticket and in the convention would vote for Sam united Australia. This visit is exploye apart forever, if persisted in.

One little band of miners in the Wy- + low candles and torches. A • trict. One little band of miners in the wyoming valley, those of the West End + mock funeral of the republican Colonel laukea, who expressed the hope Coal company at Mocanaqua, number- | party was held today and was + ing a few hundred men, stand out + attended by about 1,000 colored + prominently as the only men at work + persons. The white people are + out of nearly 20,000 in the Lackawan- + cautious and are avoiding condocked last evening the police patrol na and Wyoming region. Efforts to + flicts. induce them to join the strikers have | ++++ failed. They say they have always been treated kindly; they have no grievance and will therefore remain Are Sea-faring Men loyal to their employers.

HAZELTON, Pa., Sept. 18 .- The second day of the anthracite coal strike began very quietly in this district. According to reports received from all parts of the districts, there was no break in the ranks of the strikers and in many mines there were fewer men working than on yesterday. Some of the collieries are so short of men that it is doubtful if they can continue work during the entire day.

Every official connected with United Mine Workers now in the district, with the exception of President Mitchell, started out before 6 o'clock this morning for picket duty at various collieries. All had returned to headquarters by 8 o'clock and reported that they had been successful in inducing men to stay away from various workings.

A number of leaders also reported that several of the mines are being guarded by watchmen to prevent union men from attempting to induce ninunion strikers to quit work.

The first march of strikers in this region took place early this morning, when about 100 men from McAdoo. Audenreid and Yorktown, headed by a brass band, marched through the south side en route to the Colerain colliery with a view to inducing the men there to quit work. The strikers did not use force, but were quite successful, as a number of non-union men returned to their homes. The marching miners went back to McAdoo and dis-

# Women Nearly Cause a Riot.

A crowd of Hungarian women of Mo Adoo, some of them carrying clubs, surrounded the Crawford and Dugan mines this morning and requested the men working there to quit. Matters suredly residences of the district. looked squally for a few minutes, but the women were told that the work being done there did not interfere with the strike and they returned to their homes satisfied. At Jeansville wasnery last night a number of men were forced to promise not to go to the mines today. They kept their prom-

Workmen of the Lehigh and Wilkesbarre Coal company at Audenreid were engaged this morning in pulling the fires from under the boilers at those strippings. This indicates a suspension of work there.

Other reports from the south side today give instances of individual cases of violence yesterday against miners who did not quit work, but no one was seriously hurt.

It was estimated at noon today that the number of additional men in this district who joined the strikers this morning was about 500. On the north side all but three or four collieries are operating with reduced forces. Strik-

that the strike has not affected them. With one exception-that of the Eckley collieries reports show that fewer men are working at all the mines on the north side of Haselton today than on yesterday.

# Frisky Runaway Mule.

A runaway mule, with frisky intenfor the space of a few minutes last evening, near the corner of King and Richards streets. His muleship had escaped the security of his halter and came down the street at a mad pace, capering and coverting in a most joyous fashion. His sportive festivities were soon brought to a sudden termi-nation, when two horsemen armed with lassoes, hove in eight, and with a few dexterous tosses of the ensusrling rope, soon had the untethered animal on its knees and under restraint, while the crowd looked on and attempted to dodge the busines send of the mule's kicking apparatus.

## Reading Matter for Soldiers.

The soldiers on the transport Thomas have an eighteen days' voyage ahead of them before they will reach their destination at Manila. The boys consequently would greatly appreciate reading matter of any kind, that would in a large measure relieve the monotony of

so long a confinement at sea. Secretary Coleman of the Y. M. C. A. has taken up the matter and kindly requests that anyone having papers, either illustrated or news, old magazines and books, will leave them at the association building today or early tomorrow and they will be sent abourd the transport for distribution.

## WORK THAT WILL HASTEN ANNEXATION OF CUBA

SANTIAGO, Cuba, Sept. 18 .- \* + The elections for delegates to + \* lukou, Enoch Johnson, L. J. Mc- \* + the constitutional convention + \* Cabe, H. R. Hitchcock, W. J. + the city last night, carrying tal-

# To Be Disfranchised?

DOING PICKET DUTY Ruling of the Board of Registration for the Island of Oahu Will Certainly Do That.

> The seamen on board the local steamers and the board of registration have clashed. The men of the waves claim that they are residents, while the board thinks that a take-up-yourbed-and-walk-home will hardly come under the head of a residence.

E. B. McClanahan will take cherge of the proceedings against the board for the sailors. When interviewed by s Republican reporter last evening, Mr. McClanahan said:

"The matter was brought to my atention this afternoon. Joseph Irving and a friend, both from the Iwalani were refused registration by the board. I was called upon and immediately visited Lorrin Andrews, one of the registrars, and got him to explain himself. Now Mr. Andrews claims that the seamen have no permanent residence, that going and coming as they do they cannot be called regular citizens of the Fifth district. Necessarily the water front boys are rather hot over the decision.

The question lies in what manner you construe residence. A man certainly does not have to be at home in his district for three months. Why, that would cut off all the old kaamainas who have been living in the same houses for years but who are now off on their vacation. A seaman's home is his ship, and if the ship's home or docking place happens to lie within a certain district, has not the man a perfect right to vote? The Fifth district contains part of the water front and the harbor. Then the steamers are as as-

"The seamen are quite indignant over the matter. I am informed that a" the old island captains voted under the republic and they were quite surprised that the point should come up now. It means a good deal for the democratic party, for all these men, forty or fifty in number, have voted the democratic ticket all their lives.

"The stand the board has taken in the matter is extremely impolitic. All tors. of them are republicans, so I am informed, and it's a bad thing for their party. Capt. Bill Williams, the keeper of the lighthouse, lives on the harbor, but being a republican he was allowed to register."

# Hackfeld Against Wilson.

The case of Hackfeld vs. Wilson, on appeal from the circuit court of Hawaii, was argued and submitted. The

# REPUBLICANS NAME LEGISLATIVE TICKET

Joint Convention Held at the Drill Shed Last Night.

# NOMINATIONS WITHOUT A HITCH

M'CANDLESS WANTED TO BE A SENATOR BUT SAYS HE WAS SLAUGHTERED

Beceived the Nomination for Representative- The Ticket Complete and a Review of the Proceedings.

#### SENATORS.

Third District. B. F. Dillingham, W. C. Achi, Clarence L. Crabbe, Frank Pahia, Cecil Brown, George R.

REPRESENTATIVES.

Fourth District. A. G. M. Röbertson, J. W. Ktiki, William H. Hoogs, A. F. Gilfillan, Jonah Kumalae, Wil- \* liam Aylett.

L. L. McCandless, J. L. Kau-

It was a beautiful love feast, the naming of the legislative ticket for the Fourth and Fifth districts and the shed last evening. It was a mizsionary publican party to elect democratic York will visit the South Seas in the love feast, in the main, that element nominees and he hoped not one man spring to open the first parliament of the representatives in the Fifth dis- Damon.

that good feeling and harmony would prevail, visions of the program probably flitting before his vision.

On motion of the wily Achi, James H. Boyd was elected chairman of the joint convention and inducted into office by Col. laukes. Mr. Boyd thanked the delegates for the honor they had conferred on him and also expressed the hope that the deliberations and proceedings would be harmonious. There ought to be no factional feeling, but all ought to act as republicans. Jimmy had probably made sure that the skids had been well greased so that the ticket might be safely and smoothly launched

The secretaryship was finally thrust on C. F. Peterson. After the usual and inevitable

peech-making a recess of fifteen minutes was ordered, but it lengthened out into half an hour or more. Lorrin Andrews wanted the six senators named in joint convention, but Lorrin was in the minority and his little scheme didn't win, and each district went into caucus, each to select three senators.

# Proceedings Were Warm

The proceedings of both caucuses. McCandless to the slaughter and when of the committee and who will be Fourth district caucus to get a breath have overlooked this important fact. of fresh air and apparently to recover his usual amiable temper.

when the slates had been decided A VICIOUS MONKEY upon the joint convention reassembled, only to waste a precious half hour over a question of proxies, which somehow evaporated into nothingness and cut no ice in the subsequent proceedings. | Daughter of Policeman Ferreira As-

A demand for a roll call developed the awkward fact that there was no roll to call. A sagacious Fourth district delegate settled the babel of tongues by declaring that "We all know just what we're going to do and this crazy proxy business is only delaying us."

#### Nominations for Senator. The nominations for senator were

then taken up. The following were B. F. Dillingham, by C. B. Wilson.

Clarence L. Crabbe, by Capt. Chas. Wilcox. Cecil Brown, by A. F. Gilfillan. W. C. Achi, by T. McCants Stewart. Frank Pahia, by J. L. Kaulukou.

George R. Carter, by J. L. Kaulukou.

Nominations were ordered closed and the secretary cast a ballot for the six nominees as expressive of the sense of the meeting. And the chair deciared them the party's nominees for sena-

A long, and as subsequent events proved, useless debate ensued as to which of the gentlemen named should serve for four years and which for two years. The following joint committee was appointed to decide the vexed question: J. P. Cook, W. R. Parrington, J. P. McVeigh, J. L. Kaylukou, Enoch Johnson and William Rathbone. Later this committee reported in favor of Cecil Brown, W. C.

two-year term.

was no concern at all of the conven-tion. Thereupon the matter was on mo-tion of A. V. Gear, laid on the table tion of A. V. Gear, laid on the table and the joint convention adjourned

# THE FOURTH DISTRICT NEW REPRESENTATIVES

Immediately after the adjournment the Fourth district delegates were called to order by J. W. Jones and Frank Hoogs was elected secretary. in one-two order the following gentle men were declared the nominees for representatives: A. G. M. Robertson, DUKE AND DUCHESS OF YORK William H. Hoogs, Jonah Kumalae, J. W. Kilki, A. F. Gilfillan and William Aylett. The committee then adjourned.

# THE FIFTH DISTRICT

While the Fourth district committee was sitting in the main room, the Fifth met in company G's room. There was a good deal of fun in this place, with some blood on the moon. L. L. Mc-Candless did some tall talking when he White Ridley was fairly run down by was named for representative. "I was newspaper correspondents after the slaughtered for the senate," he said, meeting of the privy council at Baland I do not mean to be slaughtered again," a sore spot which he rubbed over and over again. He said no man their fore asts, Tuesday, September 25, had defeated him, and as he did so he has been bulletined through the United looked straight at Achi. But the com- Kingdom as the date for the dissolumittee would not let McCandless off tion of parliament. and instead nominated him. Later The date designated allows the short-Achi crawled up to McCandless and est possible margin for nominations cooed and patted him, and they shook and elections. No nomination can be hands and made up.

The following nominations were and the elections will be finished by made: H. R. Hitchcock, Enoch John- October 15. Processes are as rapid son L. L. McCandless, Louis John Mc- here as they are slow in America. Caber J. L. Kaulukow, S. M. Damon, F. | The liberals have not made up their B. T. Waterhouse and W. J. Coelho. list of candidates and as there will

of the eight McCandless took the floor unusually large number of boroughs and said there was one black sheep and districts will be uncontested, the on the list. He said they all had a unionists going in without a struggle. great deal of respect for S. M. Damon. but he is not a republican, never fored that with the sanction of the pledged himself before a primary or queen public attention will be centered crats and his name should not be con- interests. The colonial office has an-

### Thurston Was Gleeful.

At these words the face of L. A. Thurston, which was peering in through the doorway, put on a most gleeful look.

The first ballot resulted as follows: 26; Enoch Johnson, 24; H. R. Hitchcock, 22; L. J. McCabe, 22; F. B. F. Waterhouse, 17; W. J. Coelho, 17; S. M. Damon, 13.

In accordance with a previous agreement the first five named were declared nominated and a second ballot was taken to settle the tie between Waterhouse and Coelho, which resulted in 18 votes for the latter and 12 for the former. Mr. Coelho was declared the sixth nominee. Thereupon the committee adjourned, as General Polltical Manager Thurston quietly walked away with so unusual a joy in his heart that it found expression in a bitter

And the members of the committee under the leadership of McCandlect and Achi proceeded to a nearby icc cream parlor to cool off.

The executive committee was very anxious to consult with the nominee for congress yesterday morning in regard to plans for the campaign, but the nominee was not to be found. In which were held in secret, were rather the congressional districts of the tropical. This was especially true in states the congressional nominee has tropical. This was especially true in states the congressional nominee has the Fifth district when Achi led L. L. a good deal to say about the conduct Lorrin Andrews withdrew from the chairman, but Colonel Parker seems to

# Attacks a Little Girl

saulted by the Animal and Badly Injured by Bites.

A vicious monkey attacked a young here, girl yesterday and savagely bit her on the arms and was sent to the place where all bad monkeys ought to be by

The monkey belonged to F. J. Cross, the occupation of Komatipport the manager of the Wireless Telegraph British would be able to cua off all as p-Company. He had usually been chained plies reaching the Boers by railread to a tree and would rush to the end from Portuguese teristory. of his tether when children came to

play with him or tease him. He broke his chain yesterday and when the eldest daughter of Officer to the Tribune from London says: A Perrelya of the police force came large part of the Rustenbodry comalong he attacked her, inflicting severe mando has surrendered and there are injuries on the left arm. The girl was reports that Commandant Botha has also bitten about the legs and on the given himself up. The Mail's correother arm. Frightened by some un- spondent at Maritaburg says it is stated known incident the animal ceased its that Lord Roberts is expected to leave attack and the child escaped. Dr. W. Pretoria for England about October 3d. Moore dressed the wounds. He said there was very little danger of blood egraph in Lorenzo Marquez has been poisoning or other evil effects.

#### Chinese Troops are Active. Hongkong, Sept. 18.-It is reported

n the West River district that Chinese troops are visible in every town and led by the British. Time would prove, they are actively drilling. A Chinese he added, that we are not nearly gunboat is again patrolling the river beaten, and it is expected that some action is

# A GAME OF POLITICS

Dissolution of Parliament Set for September 25.

### IMPERIAL INTERESTS MAIN ISSUE

WILL OPEN PARLIAMENT IN AUSTRALIA.

Renewed Interest in Roberts' Bulletins Princes Authorized by the Emperor to Negotiate

With the Powers.

NEW YORK, Sept. 18 .- A dispatch from London says: Sir Matthew moral, and, as they would not revise

made after the last day of September

Before the balloting to select six out not be time for completing them, an Another striking proof has been of-

caucus, had been named by the demo- during the elections upon the imperial plained as a mark of the royal recognition of the lovalty of the colonies in the battle for the preservation of the empire Lord Salisbury receives perlain has inspired the policy, as he has also proposed a muster in London L. L. McCandless, 30; J. L. Kaulukou. of representative colonial volunteers. headed by Canada, for a review by the

> It is possible that the new parliament when elected may have something more than formal work to do in the meeting in the autumn, but it ports that the Chinese question will require legislative action in November. Prince Ching and Earl Ll are fully authorized by the emperor to negotiate with the powers virtually takes the whole subject out of current politics for many months. During this long interval public interest in the east, at least in England, will gradually suo-

> The approach of the elections, however, has lavested Lord Roberts' buffetins with much of their old fascination for the public. General MacDonald's success in driving bands of guerillas across the Vet is the principal incident recorded in the last twenty-four hours and it is hailed as a brilliant exploit.

# Control of a Railroad

People of Lorenzo Marques Alarmed Over Reports of a Sattle at

Momatipoort. LORENZO MARQUES, Sept. 18 --Fighting is procedings at Komatipoort.

All the available men have been sept to the frontier. It is expected that the Kome ipoort bridge will be Jestroyed. There is great uneasiness Komatipoort is a town on the frontier of the Transvaal and the rational leading from Pretoria to Portuguese

territory. It is situated about fifty

miles from Lorenzo Marques. With

# Reports of Botha's Surrender.

NEW YORK, Sept. 18 .- A dispatch

The correspondent of the Daily Telaccorded an interview with Mr. Krue-Mr. Cross, on learing of the assault ger. The ex-president, however, doby the monkey, at once told Mr. Fer-clined to answer interrogatories in telra to shoot the animal which was person, and his spokesman was Ma Berdell. In reply to questions, Mr. Berdell proceedeed to talk of British cruelties in the field and made some more or less wild assertions of murders of women and children by Kaffirs